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APPENDIX A REFERENCE TOOLS AVAILABLE IN THE HISTORICAL STAFF

1. The following is a list and brief description of the planned records being compiled in the Historical Staff by the CS Group, that may be helpful to the writer of CS history:

a. Knowledgeable Persons File

(An alphabetical card index of those persons known to have a detailed knowledge of the operations or functions of the CS on either an area and/or a functional basis and their specialty.)

b. Index to Source Documents

(A cross-index of abstract cards of existing documents known to have historical significance. This index is arranged by country, area, unit, and function.)

c. Catalog of CS History

(A card index, by area and function, of anticipated historical studies and those that have been completed including summary statements, controls, location and availability.)

d. Roster of CS Historical Writers

(An alphabetical card index of those persons in the Clandestine Services who have been nominated and/or approved by the Historical Board for writing a segment of CS history and a parallel progress file of historical papers being written.)

e. Chronology

(A card index of CS organizational events maintained by date and supplemented by charts reflecting approved re-organizations.)

f. Agency Historical Staff Records (Basically not CS)

(Numerous and varied historical studies and histories of parts of the Agency and predecessor organizations.)

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